

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 764

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Anna Smelser upon her top five ranking in the 2012 graduating class at Cherokee High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Anna Smelser is one such exceptional student who recently ranked in the top five of the 2012 graduating class at Cherokee High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Smelser has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Anna Smelser has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average, while participating in several scholastic and extracurricular activities, including serving as Beta Club officer, captain of the track team, student trainer for the football team, editor of the yearbook, member of the yearbook staff for four years, cheerleader for two years, member of the track team for four years, and a participant in many of her school's musical productions; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Smelser's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at the University of Tennessee, where she plans to major in pre-medicine; and

WHEREAS, Anna Smelser's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, April and Ross Smelser, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that Anna Smelser, 2012 Cherokee High School Top Five graduate, be commended and honored for her impressive academic achievement. We extend to her our best wishes for a happy and successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.